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CHARACTERS



SHIKI

The former top general of NOA. Despite assuming an air of royalty, he is unemotional. With NOA gone and no way to keep Sumire bound to him, he has re-exam his allegiance to Utsuho.



AIKA

Former first lieutenant of NOA and Sumire's right-hand woman. She is completely devoted to Sumire and only wishes to be by her side. Since being disavowed by Okikunuri, she has not spoken and is barely functioning.



HYDE

Former Chibdo and lieutenant general of NOA. Following his defeat at Atsuna's hands, he has lost his independent thought and has become Yurugi's bodyguard and tool.



YURUGI

Former first lieutenant of NOA and Hyde's right-hand man. He is both smart and calculating. Since Shiki's return, Yurugi is very suspicious of the former head of NOA.



ATSUNA

A young man who is sent by his village in the north to retrieve the stolen sacred spirit, Okikunuri. Betrayed by his brother Utsuho, he treats no one and keeps himself distanced from others.



UTSUHO

Brother of Atsuna who betrayed him and took Okikunuri from his village.



KOJIMARU

The karasu of an ancient sword from Atsuna's village. Despite his ability and age, he is both short-tempered and immature. Utsuho pulled Kojimaru out of Atsuna, but Kojimaru has made a contract to use Sumire's body instead.



SUMIRE

The former Tensho, NOA's second-in-command. She has made a contract with Kojimaru giving him control of her body. She is infused with the power of the wind.



SHUI

Childhood friend of Aika and former second lieutenant of NOA. An adept cook who likes to take care of others. His voice holds a strange attraction for both Atsuna and Sumire. He has rescued Aika from Okikunuri, but has been separated from her. He is infused with the power of fire.

CHARACTERS

KAMUI - THE SPIRITS WHICH EXIST WITHIN ALL OBJECTS, THE LIVING FORCE OF THE WORLD.

IN THIS QUICKLY MODERNIZING COUNTRY,
THERE IS A NAMELESS VILLAGE IN THE NORTH WHICH CONTINUES TO
REVERE NATURE AND HOLD ONTO ITS ANCIENT SPIRITUAL BELIEFS.
KAMUI, THE LIVING FORCE OF THE WORLD,
AND OKIKURUMI, THE ONE WHO HOLDS THE POWER OF MIRACLES.

THIS POWER OF MIRACLES
IS SAID TO GRANT THE WISH OF THE ONE WHO AWAKENS IT.

BUT THIS SAME POWER BRINGS "DESTRUCTION!"
THUS IT IS "HELP BACKUP" AND WORKSHIPPED AS A "PRITY"
BUT IT HAS BEEN SUDDENLY STOLEN.

THE WORLD
HAS FALLEN INTO AN UNIMAGINABLE DISASTER.

Atanan - Monsters that suddenly appeared after the Grand Sinker.

Earth and Sky Division - The Earth Division is led by Chisho (Commander) Hyde, and the Sky Division is led by Tensho (Commander) Sumire. The Sky Division and the Earth Division are the two forces that form NOA's military strength. Although their names are Earth and Sky, this has no relation to their jurisdiction.

EDEN - A part of the former city of Tokyo that was protected from the earthquakes by the government research facility's barrier. It is now controlled by NOA.

Eksahn - A term meaning "elders."

Grand Sinker - The second of two great earthquakes that have left Japan devastated. The southernmost islands of Kyushu and Shikoku are both completely submerged, and a good percentage of the main island Honshu is left underwater.

KAMUI - A term used to refer to the spirits.

I'nouren - A term referring to the spirit embodied by members of NOA. For example, Lady Sumire embodies the wind I'nouren.

Magatsu-hai - Japanese, it literally translates to "misfortune soldier."

NOA - Stands for Noble Offensive Academy. It is a society of young men and women who have been infused with kama in order to fight the atanan. It is backed by a government research facility that has been performing paranormal experiments on humans.

Okikurumi - An ancient spirit and the most sacred kamui that is stolen from Atsuna's village. Its disappearance has a key role in the recent natural disasters and appearance of the atanan.

Tohshu - A term used to refer to the powers used by members of NOA.

EVERYTHING WAS
ORCHESTRATED BY
A SINGLE MAN.

WHEN THEY LEARNED THE
TRUTH, AND OKIKURUMI BEGAN
TO AWAKEN,

-NO
ONE CAN
ESCAPE.

AND UNTIL
HIS WISH IS
GRANTED.

THE CENTER OF THE
CITY WAS VICIOUSLY
KIPPED APART, AND THE
WORLD HEADED TOWARDS
DESTRUCTION.

AND BY NGA, A GROUP
OF YOUTHS WITH A SPECIAL
POWER KNOWN AS TONBU.

THE GREAT EARTHQUAKE WHICH
STRUCK TWICE AND SANK
KYUSHU AND SHIKOKU -
THE GREAT SINKER.

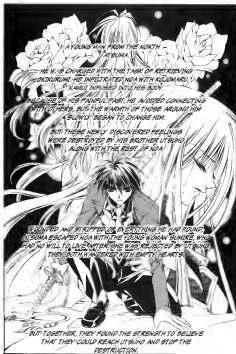
THE SKYSCRAPERS
CRUMBLER INTO RUIN,
AND THE CITIZENS WERE
THRUST INTO A WORLD OF
DESPAIR AND INBENITY.

THE GOVERNMENT LOST
ALL POWER. EVEN IN THE
FORMER CITY OF TOKYO, AKA
EDEN, POWER WAS HELD BY
THE NATIONAL RESEARCH
FACILITY THAT WAS
SPONSORED BY THE FORMER
GOVERNMENT.

BUT EVEN NGA AND EDEN WERE MERELY
Pawns USED TO FEED OKIKURUMI.



Chapter
29 *omen of awakening*



A YOUNG MAN FROM THE NORTH -
UTSUMA

HE WAS CHARGED WITH THE TASK OF RETRIEVING
SHIKIDURUMI. HE INFILTRATED NOA WITH KOLLMARU,
KARU'S INFUSED INTO HIS BODY.

BECAUSE OF HIS PAINFUL PAST, HE AVOIDED CONNECTING
WITH OTHERS, BUT THE WARMTH OF THOSE AROUND HIM
A SLOWLY BEGAN TO CHANGE HIM.

BUT THESE NEWLY DISCOVERED FEELINGS
WERE DESTROYED BY HIS BROTHER UTSHING
ALONG WITH THE REST OF NOA.

HE LOST AND STRIPPED OF EVERYTHING HE HAD FOUND.
UTSUMA ESCAPED NOA WITH THE YOUNG WOMAN SUMIRE, WHO
HAD NO WILL TO LIVE ANYMORE. SHE WAS REJECTED BY UTSHING.
THEY BOTH WANDERED WITH EMPTY HEARTS.

BUT TOGETHER, THEY FOUND THE STRENGTH TO BELIEVE
THAT THEY COULD REACH UTSHING AND STOP THE
DESTRUCTION.











WE
HAVE
TO...

...KILL
UTSUHO.



THAT'S THE
ONLY WAY
TO STOP THE
PEST INFESTION.

WE
CAN'T TAKE
IT BACK TO
THE VILLAGE
NOW.

THINK
ABOUT IT.

IF THAT'S THE
CASE, WE MUST
KILL THE PERSON
WHO COMMITTED
THE SIN AND
APPEASE THE
ANGER OF THE
KAMU.

GOKUKUINI
KIDNAPED ITSELF
IN THE CITY AND
USED NOA AS
FOOD TO GROW.



I CAN'T USE
TOMBU AND NOA
IS NO LONGER
THERE. BUT I'M
STILL ALIVE.

I NEED
TO GO BACK
THERE AND
FIND OUT FOR
MYSELF.

SO MAYBE
THAT PLACE
IS WHERE
I'LL FIND MY
FREEDOM.



I DON'T
WANT TO
WASTE MY
LIFE...

...JUST
STANDING
AROUND
HERE NOT
DOING WHAT
I WANT.



WHAT?

BUT YOU'RE
STILL
STUPID.

YOUR
WOUNDS
MAY HAVE
HEALED,

THERE'S ONLY
ONE THING WE
NEED TO DO
RIGHT NOW.

LISTEN.

EVERY
TIME I LEAVE
YOU ALONE
YOU START
THINKING TOO
MUCH!





NO.



...THIS BODY ISN'T BROKEN NEXT TIME WE MEET.

I HOPE...



YOU WOULDN'T BE ALIVE NOW IF IT WASN'T FOR ME!

HOW DARE YOU SPEAK THAT WAY, YOU PUNK!

ARE YOU RUNNING AWAY BECAUSE YOU CAN'T KILL YOUR OWN BROTHERS?



I'LL KILL STRUBO IF YOU CAN'T!

THEN BEAT WITH ME!

THAT'S NOT IT.



ATSUMA.

COME WITH ME,









ATSUMA!



...OR
SOMETHING
COMPLETELY
DIFFERENT.

IF HE
WAS ABLE
TO RETURN HIM
TO THIS STATE,
IT MUST BE A
POWER BEYOND
OKIKURUMI...

THOUGH
IT VARIES
FROM PERSON
TO PERSON,
THE CONTROL
OKIKURUMI HAS
OVER A BODY
IS POWER-
FUL.

WHAT SORT
OF POWER
IS THAT?

WHO
KNOWS?



WHEN
YANASI
WAKES UP,
LET HIM KNOW
HE DID A
GOOD JOB.

YOU CAN
RETURN TO YOUR
QUARTERS
NOW.

IN ANY
CASE, IT IS
INTERESTING.

IF...



...TOUGH
HIM.

DON'T...

Where?



HE.

...DOES
IT MEAN,
PROFESSOR
HAGUNE?

WHAT...

...DID
SOMETHING
TO ME.

IT'S
HIM.

Where?

THOSE
WHO ARE
SWALLOWED
BY OKIKURUMI
LOSE THEM-
SELVES.

WHY IS
HYDE ABLE
TO SPEAK
AGAIN?



...I DON'T
RECALL EVER
WANTING AN
ASSISTANT.

SHUKI.

IF YOU'RE SO
INTERESTED
IN HIS
POWER,

YOU SHOULD
GO SEE HIM
YOURSELF.



...HE EVER
WAKES UP.

!?



I TOLD
HIM NOT TO
MESSLE IF HE
WANTED TO
STAY BY MY
SIDE.

BESIDES...

THIS
IS A JUST
PUNISHMENT
FOR IGNORING
HIS ORDERS.

ISN'T
YANAGI...

...YOUR
ASSISTANT?!!



...IN
MY OWN
WAY.

I WILL GET
SUMIRE...



I LOOK
FORWARD
TO IT.



PROTECT
BOTH
OKIKURUME...

UNTIL
OKIKURUME
AWAKENS
AND MY WISH
COMES TRUE.



AS LONG AS
HIS FRIEND
IS HERE IN
THIS TOWER,
ATSUMA WILL
BE BACK.

I DON'T
CARE WHAT
HIS POWER
IS.



...AND
ME.









IT'S
NOA!

...POWER-
LESS
BODY
MOVE
IS...



THAT
UNIFORM...

...YOU'RE
NOA,
AREN'T
YOU!?



BACK
THEN...



I WISHED
WITH ALL MY
HEART TO BE
JUST LIKE
HIM.

EVERYTHING
I DID WAS FOR
HIS SUND.

TAP



I'M NOT DOING
THIS BECAUSE
OF MY HATRED
TOWARDS HIM.

THE THING
THAT MAKES
THIS



WHY?



WHEN
HE DID-
APPEARED,
I LOST
EVERYTHING
BUT MY
HATRED.

BUT NOW, IT'S
DIFFERENT.





WHAT'S
THAT?

SHUT
UP!!



PULLING
ME UP
INSIDE

SOMETHING
IS!



TAP



ATSUMAF



DON'T BE
A FOOL!



THERE'S
NO POINT
TO ALL
THIS!

SHUT
UP.

YOU'RE NOT
THE ONLY
ONE WHO'S
AFRAID!



LIFT









HE HADN'T
REGAINED
CONSCIOUS-
NESS YET.

PRO-
FESSOR
HAKUMI

HOW IS THE
PRISONER?



I CAN'T
BELIEVE HE
WAS ABLE
TO...

IF LORD SHIKI
HADN'T HELPED,
I BELIEVE WE
WOULD HAVE
HAD MORE
CASUALTIES.

...HOLD BACK
SEVEN TROOPS
OF SOLDIERS BY
HIMSELF, EVEN
AFTER HE WAS
CAPTURED BY
OKKURUMI.

HOW WOULD
YOU LIKE US
TO DISPOSE
OF HIM?

PROFESSOR,



BUT...

THERE IS
NO NEED TO
DISPOSE OF
HIM.



PLEASE
GO...

...HELP
HIM!

TAP



YOU WON'T
LET ME
SLEEP.

THAT
VOICE.
ARE YOU
THERE,
LADY?

WHY
ARE YOU
CONSCIOUS
WHEN I'M IN
CONTROL

IF YOU'RE
WORKING,
WHY DON'T
YOU GO TO
HOME



WHY
ARE YOU
SCARED OF
ATSUMA'S
POWER?

YOUR
UNBALANCED
EMOTIONS
FLOW THROUGH
ME.

HEY,
KUSUMARU.



I WILL...

SHU
TACHIBANA.



...USE
HIM LIKE
THE PAWN
HE IS.



I WON'T
SEE HER.



ALL I
WANT IS
OUTSIDE.



BEHOLD,
AKA..



WHAT ARE
YOU GOING
DO?



DON'T
THAT
LADY
...

...
COME FOR
YOU



I DON'T
CARE...

...ABOUT
ATSUMA.



HMPH!



...MIGHT
LEAVE YOU
SOME DAY?



OR
ARE YOU
AFRAID...

SCARED?



HE
HELPED...

...YOU ESCAPE
AND NOW THEY
HAVE HIM IN
THE RESEARCH
FACILITY!



...NO
LONGER
BELONGS
ONLY TO
ME.

Chapter
30 for one's own



YOUR
LOYALTY TO
HER IS JUST
SPENDING.



...ALWAYS
THINKING OF
YOU FIRST.

HE
WAS...



HE THREW
HIMSELF
AFTER YOU.

WHEN
YOU WERE
DROPPED INTO
THE LOVE LINE
OF GOKUKURIME,



HOW CAN
YOU...

...STILL
SAY THAT?



YOU... THE
PERSON...
HE WORRIED
ABOUT.

I KNOW...

...YOUR
WAVE.



I GO

REMEMBER
NAME. JUST
ONE.

AND WHAT
ARE YOU
GOING TO
DO?



PLEASE...
HELP HIM!



LADY
SUMIRE.

I GO.

TO
HER.



I WANT
TO...

THAT
WRONG!

I WANT...
STAY WITH
HIM!

BUT HE...
TOLD ME
TO GO.



IF I GO
BACK, HE'LL
BE SAD.

DON'T
WANT
THAT!



THAT'S
WHY... I GO.



IT'S NOT
YOUR FAULT
THAT YOU DON'T
REMEMBER.



BUT
EVEN
SO,

THAT
WOMAN IS
STILL...
...MORE
IMPORTANT
TO YOU



...WRONG.

YOU...



IF THAT'S
THE CASE,

GO DO
WHATEVER
YOU WANT.

RUSTLE



WHAT ABOUT YOU?

HURRY,

AND STAY BY SUMIRE'S SIDE.

I WAS...

...ON MY WAY TO NOA.



OH...

OH.

...WHO REFUSE TO LIVE ON THEIR OWN, EVEN THOUGH THEY HAVE THE FREEDOM.

...DISTRACTED BY THOSE...

BUT I WAS...



THERE'S NO NEED...

NOA?

NOA.

THE ORGANIZATION CONNECTED TO THE RESEARCH FACILITY YOU ESCAPED FROM.



TO LADY SUMIRE.

I GO.

HEY.

THAT'S NOT THE WAY.

GO TO THE FAR SOUTH SHELTER.







IT'S
BECAUSE YOU
HAD ANOTHER
MOTIVE.



YOU'RE
GIVING
ME WAY
TOO MUCH
CREDIT.

PLEASE
STOP.



BUT...

...SINCE
WE'RE TALKING,
CAN I ASK YOU
A QUESTION
PROFESSOR
HASUMI?



I'M SURE
YOU SENSED
SHIKI'S
WAVE.

IT'S EASY
TO GUESS
THAT HE
WOULD HAVE
LET SUMIRE'S
ASSISTANT
ESCAPE.



BUT
YOU LET
YOURSELF
BE CAUGHT
ANYWAY.



I
WOULDN'T...

YOU'RE THE
ONE WHO SHOT
ME UP WITH
TRANQUILI-
ZERS

...ASK
THIS IF IT
WASN'T
YOU



BUT
WHY DID
YOU DECIDE
TO STAY
BEHIND...

...IF YOU
KNEW IT
WASN'T GOING
TO GO WELL
FOR YOU



NOA
EXPERIMENT
NUMBER
0024767, SHUI
TACHIBANA.

SHUI TACHIBANA
AGE/18 SEX/MAL
BLOODTYPE/O

STY/AFFILIATION OF THE FLAME
CAPACITY/HAIR-5—SUPERIOR
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EVEN WHEN
YOU ARE
SEVERELY
WOUNDED.

WITH YOUR
TRUE ABILITY,
SOLDIERS WITH
NO TOSHU ARE
NO MATCH FOR
YOU.

BUT
YOU DIDN'T
TAKE THIS
EXAM WITH
YOUR FULL
STRENGTH.

YOUR
TOSHU LEVEL
WAS A RANK
AT THE FIRST
TESTING
PHASE







...NOTHING
LEFT.

...ENJOY
OURSELVES...

...WITHOUT
WORRYING
ABOUT
ANYTHING!

...THERE ARE
STRICT RULES
AND HARD
BUT AT TRAINING, AND
THE SAME
TIME, IT IS
A SCHOOL
THE CENTER OF
EDEN

SO WE
NEED
TO...

AT
NOA...





I DON'T...

BUT IT DOESN'T MATTER IF I DON'T HAVE POWER.

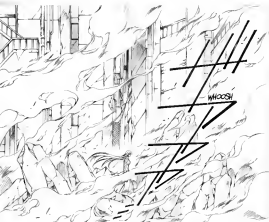
...HAVE THE TONBU TO COMMUNICATE WITH THE KAMUI.























EVEN
THOUGH
YOU MAY
NOT HAVE
TIME,

WE HAVE
PLENTY OF
IT.



IF YOU
CANNOT
DEFEAT THEM,
I SEE NO
REASON TO
FIGHT YOU



IF YOU DON'T
WANT ME MERELY
WATCHING, SHOW
IT TO ME



YOUR...



THEY ARE
THE REMNANTS OF
NSA PROTOTYPES
WHO WERE
EXPERIMENTED ON
IN THE RESEARCH
FACILITY...

THESE ARE
MAGATSU-HEI.

...BEFORE
THE GRAND
SINKER



SINCE
SOLDIERS
WITHOUT TONSU
WEREN'T
ENOUGH FOR
YOU

I BROUGHT
THEM,

THAT
FACE.



AND USE
INNOCENT
PEOPLE AS
SHIELDST

ARE YOU
GOING TO
STAND THERE
AND WATCH











...WILL
PROTECT
YOU.



...PROTECTED
ME.

YOU
ALWAYS...



...AVOID THE
SWORD?

WHY
DIDN'T
YOU.



...DIDN'T
ORDER ME
TO.

YOU...



I
WANT...

WHY DID
YOU COME
BACK?



I...

DON'T SAY
ANYTHING.

LADY SUMIRE.

YOU'LL
GET
WEAKER.

...TO
SEE
YOU.

UGH





WHAT'S
WRONG?



OR ARE
YOU REFUSING
TO KILL THE
MAGATSUBI-HEI
AGAIN.



BECAUSE
YOU THINK
THEY'RE NOT
INVOLVED?



WHAT
HAPPENED
TO NO ONE
GETTING IN
YOUR WAY?



I
GUESS.



YOUR
WEAKNESS
AND POOR
FIGHTING
SKILLS.



...HAVEN'T
CHANGED A
BIT.



...FEELS
LIKE
IT'S
GOING
TO TEAR
APART!





AH,

AH!

AH,

YOU'RE SO
INTERESTED
IN HIS
POWER.

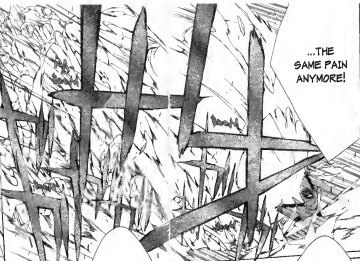


YOU SHOULD
GO SEE HIM
YOURSELF.



NO.

HE IS...



...THE
SAME PAIN
ANYMORE!

...OF THE
MAGATSU-
HEI?

URGH!



HE
BLOCKED
THE
TOHSU...



THE AIR
AROUND
HIM...

CHANGED?







HYDE WAS THE FIRST TO BECOME OKIKURUMI'S POOP AND LOST HIMSELF.

BUT BY COMING INTO CONTACT WITH ATSUMA, HE WAS ABLE TO REGAIN HIS MIND AGAIN.

IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE ATSUMA REMOVED THE PART OF OKIKURUMI THAT HAD INFECTED HIS BODY.



...AND TURN THEM BACK TO NORMAL?

ATSUMA'S POWER CAN RELEASE NOA FROM OKIKURUMI...

SO DOES THAT MEAN,



ABSORBING THE KAMUI!?



PERHAPS...

ATSUMA HAS THE POWER TO HOLD KAMUI INSIDE HIS BODY.

YES.



IF YOU USE EXCESSIVE TONBU, IT CAUSES YOU PAIN.

EVEN THOUGH YOU WEREN'T AFFECTED MUCH, YOU CAN SENSE THE CHANGE IN YOUR BODY FROM OKIKURUMI, RIGHT?

.....



...EVEN OKIKURUMI TOO.









...THE
PURIFICATION
OF THE WORLD.

HIS
WISH
IS...

WHAT
FOR?

PURIFICATION?

SO
WHY EVEN
RUSH?

YOU,
SUMIRE,
MYSELF.

TO HIM, WE
ARE NO MORE
THAN FILES
OF ASHES.

BUT IN
HIS MIND,

NOTHING MATTERS TO
HIM EXCEPT
HIMSELF AND
OKIKURUME.

I DON'T
KNOW OR
CARE.

L

...HEARD
EVERYTHING
FROM HIM.

WHEN I
RETURNED
TO THE LAB.

WHAT IS HE
THINKING?

UTSUHO'S...

I JUST
WANTED
TO KNOW,

HIS WISH
WHAT'S
GOING TO
HAPPEN TO
THIS CITY.

...WISH

SO I
DID WHAT I
NEEDED TO
DO

I DON'T
CARE ABOUT
ANY OF IT.

THAT'S
RIGHT.







...HURT
SUMIRE
AGAIN!



IT CAN'T
BE YOU

OR
UTSUNO.



WHAT YOU
ARE TRYING
WOIN'T DO
ANY GOOD.

IT'LL
JUST...



I
WANT...



NO.

THE WORLD
CAN'T ESCAPE
ITS FATE.

THERE'S
NOTHING
YOU CAN
DO NOW.

BE
GONE













SINCE
YOU'RE SUCH
A SWEET,
CARING OLDER
BROTHER.

YOU CAN
CHOOSE
WHICHEVER
YOU WANT.



KOMI BONUS THEATER - WHAT'S HIS NAME IN WONDERLAND



One more bonus manga



See you again!

This is KAMOI volume 3. Even I didn't think this manga would last this long, but I am forever grateful to all my readers. I can't say enough with words, but I hope you stay with me until the end!

I drew this preview for the magazine, but I thought it would be a waste so I asked to have it printed in this volume.

Since the story is so serious now, I wanted to draw lots of bonus manga (lol). I want to have fun where I can, so I hope you enjoyed them.



Please buy KAMOI



The problem isn't about Enke's coefficient or not taking enough calories...
I want to eat yummy food until I burst!

When sometimes I only eat once per day

My last of time doing!

1 day worth Three rice balls

gallon, nuka, period zatsun not \$5.00 ka-ching

One rice ball (from convenience store) \$1.20 ka-ching

ABOUT EATING

It might be due to age, but I haven't been eating as much + not interested in work, so recently all I eat per meal is...

PLEASE READ VOLUME 8

Thank you for writing letters! I look forward to them!

Please feel free to drop me a note.

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When I lie down to stretch out the manga, I always feel asleep holding my pen.



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Crime et châtiment - French for "crime and punishment."

Pg. 10
Kyushu, Shikoku - Respectively, these are the second and fourth largest islands of Japan. Kyushu is the most southerly, with Shikoku just to the northeast.

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Chie - A suffix can be put after any name. It is often used for children, good friends or those younger than oneself.

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Melmo - Melmo is the nine-year-old protagonist of the magical girl anime and manga, *Marvelous Melmo*, by Osamu Tezuka of *Astroboy* fame. Her deceased mother worried about Melmo and her two brothers growing up without parents, with Melmo and gives her a bottle of red and blue candy. The blue candy turns Melmo into a 19-year-old version of herself, and the red candy turns her back into a child. Yanagi references Melmo here, since transforming into an adult often left her child-sized clothes torn to shreds leaving much of her body exposed.

TRANSLATION NOTES

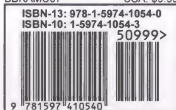


NOA is destroyed, its members scattered or consumed by Okikurumi. Still, Atsuma is compelled to return to the ruins of the only place he ever felt kindness and friendship. Aika has escaped from Okikurumi, but where is Shui? As she struggles to connect with Lady Sumire, Shiki confronts Atsuma, who now possesses a strange new power, a power which could destroy him.

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